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PETITION FOR ONE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

A two-month extension of time, to and including November 6, 2002, is requested for response to the Restriction Requirement mailed September 6, 2002. The check enclosed includes the fee of \$55 for the extension. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees that may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 50-0750.

Respectfully submitted,

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